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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2-5, 7-11, 14-21, 24-33, 36-44, 46, 48, 53-73, and 80-89 without prejudice to applicants' right to further pursue the subject matter of these claims in a continuation or a divisional application.

Please amend claims 35, 45, 49, 74, 77 and 78 by deleting the bracketed material and adding the underlined material as follows:

--35. (Amended) An antibody of claim 34 directed either to peptide Asp-Glu-Leu-Lys-Ala-Glu (SEQ ID No. 39), or Asn-Glu-Asp-Gly-Asn-Glu (SEQ ID No. 40) or Lys-Ser-Pro-Asp-Glu-Gly (SEQ ID No. 41) of the prostate-specific membrane antigen.--